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Dressmaking and sewing. Mrs. Florence Skinner, Broad street.

A son was born April 13 to Mr. and Mrs. Edward Tucker at their home near Weston.

Weston Baths and Tailor Shop will meet all prices. See ad. for rates. Watch our window sign. R. L. Reynolds.

The Payne brothers lost their Prince horse Friday—valued at \$100—its death breaking up an extra good team.

Weakly Bulldogger: Judge Fitz Gerald says if he was ever able to read his own signature he would know it was a forgery.

The ladies of the M. E. Mission announce a cooked food sale for tomorrow afternoon at the store of the Weston Mercantile Co.

Contractor S. T. Gore of Walla Walla, assisted by Henry Schroeder of this city, is building a farm residence for Roy Cannon near Athena.

The following republicans have filed for precinct committeemen at Weston: R. G. Saling, 15; S. A. Barnes, 16; E. O. DeMoss, 17.

Miss Grace Gilliam of Pilot Rock has entered the county treasury race against George Bradley as a candidate for the republican nomination.

A local teachers institute will be held in Pendleton April 29 for the teachers of Pendleton, Helix, Athena, Weston and surrounding districts.

Special Easter services both morning and evening are announced for next Sunday at the Methodist church. Appropriate anthems will be sung by the choir.

County Surveyor Bradley and Viewers Lute Rothrock and Mr. Stockman, were here this week, inspecting the proposed change in the grade of the Pine creek road.

Rufe Bratcher is here from Wasco, Oregon, for a visit with his parents and friends. He still bears the marks of the big garage fire at Wasco, which so nearly cremated him.

William MacKenzie and S. A. Barnes motored Tuesday to Milton, Freewater and Walla Walla, where Mr. Barnes looked after the publicity end of the Pioneer's reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. O'Hara have returned from Spokane, where they had a delightful visit as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Isham Davis. Lester reports that he found it almost impossible to spend any Weston money.

J. H. Price is now manager of the Weston ball team, having accepted election to that office by the players. He succeeds F. G. Lucas, who resigned because of the frequent absences from town necessitated by his business.

So "mellow" is the soil in Weston fields, especially in the draws, that a couple of Sim Culley's mules can nearly up to their ears in a corner of the Duncan eighty south of town the other day. They had to be yanked out with log chains.

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The High School entertainment at the auditorium this (Friday) evening promises to prove of much more than ordinary interest and merit. The phonographic concert, the folk dances in costume, the violin recital and the farce make up a varied and diverting program that the people of Weston and vicinity will assuredly find to their liking. The school has been fortunate in enlisting the assistance of Mr. Alfred Bergeron, a violinist of rare attainment who will contribute part three of the program. The six folk dances presented under the direction of Miss Cogswell will provide a form of entertainment both unusual and pleasing, and a variety of high-class records are available for the school's new phonograph. Those who attend will not be disappointed.

The farm residence on the Blomgren ranch in the foothills east of town, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Blomgren, was destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The residence, which was the guest, Mrs. W. R. Affleck of Orofino, Idaho, sister of Mrs. Blomgren, succeeded in saving nearly all of their household goods and furniture, but the house itself was burned to the ground. A telephone call brought a number of people from town in automobiles, and with their aid "bucket brigades" was hastily put in service which saved the barn and all of the other outbuildings. The Blomgrens have put up a tent for temporary shelter until their spring work is finished. The loss is estimated at \$1200, partly covered by \$750 insurance.

C. C. McKenna of Colfax, discharged as deputy state grain inspector on February 23 began suit at Tacoma for \$20,000 damages against R. D. Jarboe, state grain inspector. Mr. McKenna says that Jarboe, who is now in jail, is alleged to have written in a letter "discharged for insubordination and unsatisfactory service." The other \$10,000 is sought on a report filed with the Public Service Commission charging inefficiency, which McKenna says led him to resign at Tacoma as inspector for Balfour, Guthrie & Co. Mr. McKenna was formerly railway agent at Weston. He also enlisted with a Weston squad for service in the Philippines during the Spanish war.

The 65th birthday of Mrs. R. L'Euallen, one of Weston's pioneers, was commemorated April 14th with a very pleasant surprise party at the L'Euallen residence on East Main street. Novelty was lent to the affair by the appearance of an amiable ghost to share in the festivities. A good, sociable time was enjoyed, followed by refreshments. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Driskell, Rev. and Mrs. N. D. Wood, Mrs. Richard Beamer and Naomi Beamer, Mrs. George Sowers and Evaline Sowers.

The Milton and Weston second teams clashed again on the local diamond last Saturday, and the victors turned the tables on our home-town hopefuls, who were defeated eight to seven, after fourteen innings of diverting baseball. R. Gould and V. Lundell pitched for the locals, and were backstopped by R. Smith and Killgore. Both teams were on their mettle throughout, and Weston fans who climbed the hill to watch the contest were well repaid for their trouble.

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The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Webb is ill with tonsillitis.

Miss Norma Smith arrived Sunday from Walla Walla for a several weeks' vacation visit at home.

Mrs. Z. C. Price is improving in health, and was able yesterday to leave her sick bed for an arm chair.

Strayed from my pasture, one two-year-old pale red bull. If seen, please notify I. C. Hopkins, Weston, Or.

Ladies' and gents' suits pressed, 50c; cleaned and pressed, \$1.00. Pressery on corner opp. City feed mill. (Adv.)

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mitchell, residing on the Reed and Hawley uplands, are the parents of a baby boy, born last Tuesday.

F. J. Alex Mayer, insurance adjuster, was here from Portland yesterday and satisfactorily adjusted the Blomgren loss.

My two cars will start from the City Drug store at 5:30 each evening, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, for "The Birth of a Nation," at Pendleton. A. M. Boyden.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whiteman of Pendleton, motored to Weston Sunday evening and attended service at the Episcopal church. They brought Bishop Faldock, who conducted the service.

It is expected that 1000 head of registered Holstein cattle will be shipped into Stanfield, this county, by the end of the present summer. Attracted by cheap alfalfa, a large number of Washington dairymen intend locating at Stanfield, and will bring their Holstein herds.

The following Weston pupils qualified for the finals in the county spelling contest, which will be held at Pendleton April 28: Fourth grade, Arlaine Robinson; fifth grade, Emma Thoeny; sixth grade, Harvey Lundell, Marvin Keen; seventh grade, Hilda McKee, Ruby Hall; eighth grade, Neil Graham.

Milton Club Ladies Entertained.

Mrs. F. D. Watts was hostess last week for the Saturday Afternoon Club. It was the club's "Reciprocity Day," and the local ladies had as their guests some 20 members of the Milton Civic Improvement Club, who motored over for the occasion. Quite an elaborate affair was arranged for their entertainment. The house was most artistically decorated in club colors, many bowls of carnations adorning the parlors with a pleasing background of dainty ferns. The program consisted of a piano solo by Mrs. J. Wurzer, a paper on "Pure Food Laws" by Mrs. J. F. Slover, a vocal solo by Mrs. E. M. Smith, a piano selection by Mrs. R. Proudell, a paper on Immigration by Mrs. Minnie Walker, and a small group of songs by Mrs. Geo. B. Carmichael. The ladies found much amusement in selecting their partners for luncheon by matching quotations. A most delectable three-course luncheon was served, the dainty favors being given in pink and white, the club colors. Altogether Mrs. Watts received about fifty ladies. The afternoon was one of the pleasantest the club has enjoyed this season.

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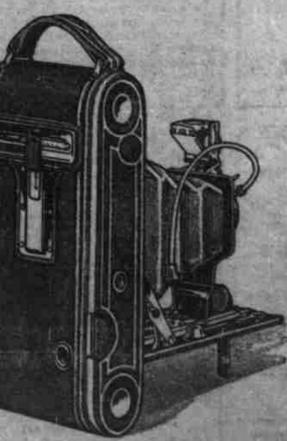
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- 2 Love for our State.
- 3 Loyalty to our home town.

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